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1. At about 10 a.m. on 17 September, about 300 T-34 tanks and about 40 SP guns launched an attack in six waves eastward from the Schwabhausen-Ohrdruf road.

2. At about 12 p.m. on 22 September, trucks

loaded with suitcases and 2 or 3 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets were seen in Markendorf and, subsequently, in Jueterbog. Other trucks with billeting equipment seen in Markendorf and Jueterbog on 23 September.

At 1 p.m. on 25 September, the empty trucks passed through Jueterbog toward the Marktplatz.

3. On 22 September, a train with 8 T-34/85 tanks 9 boxcarloads with soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets, jeep and passed through the Burg railroad station toward Magdeburg. (3)

4. At 11 a.m. on 24 September, 16 JS tanks armored scout cars and truck were unloaded at the Weissen railroad station. unloadings for the barracks installation between Weissen and Ockrilla have been observed since 22 September. (4)

Comments.

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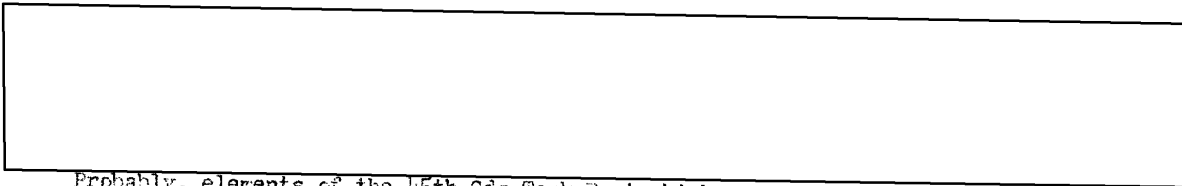
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Probably, elements of the 45th Cds Tank Regt which, upon the turn-over to the Volkspolizei of their barracks installation in Kamenz, will be transferred to their new military post of Meissen from the Koenigsbrueck troop training grounds.

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the regiment appears to have taken up quarters in the Bohnitsch Kaserne east of Grossenhainer Strasse where the 95th Tank Regt of the 9th Tank Div is already stationed. [redacted] the transfer from Koenigsbrueck to Meissen to have been scheduled for mid-October 1952. [redacted]

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